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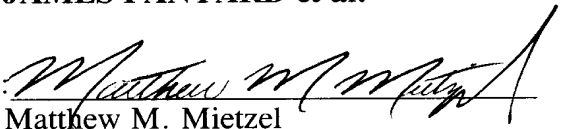
Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner dated October 4, 2005 for the above-identified patent application.

This Notice of Appeal is submitted with payment of the appeal fee of \$500 as applicable under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 41.20(b)(1). Please charge any additional fees, or credit any overpayment in connection with this filing, to Ford Global Technologies LLC, Deposit Account No. 06-1510.

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